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In re Application of:
 Roseanne M. Crooke et al. Confirmation No.: 1035
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 For: ANTISENSE MODULATION OF ACYL COA CHOLESTEROL
 ACYLTRANSFERASE-2 EXPRESSION

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In response to the Official Action dated November 18, 2004 reconsideration is respectfully requested in view of the amendments (8 pages in total) and/or remarks as indicated below:

- Amendments to the Specification begin on page [PAGE] of this paper.
- Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of the claims that begins on page 2 of this paper.
- Amendments to the Drawings begin on page [PAGE] of this paper and include an attached replacement sheet.
- Remarks begin on page 4 of this paper.

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